

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Plant Protection & Quarantine 4700 River Road Riverdale, MD 20737

# Permit to Move Live Plant Pests, Noxious Weeds, and Soil

**Interstate Movement** 

Regulated by 7 CFR 330

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**PERMITTEE NAME:** Sharen Chaffin Seminis Vegetable Seeds, **ORGANIZATION:** ADDRESS: 37437 State Highway 16 Woodland, CA 95695 **MAILING ADDRESS:** 37437 State Highway 16 Woodland, CA 95695 530-669-6172 PHONE: **ALT. PHONE:** 530-665-3319

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PERMIT NUMBER: P526P-18-02646 APPLICATION NUMBER: P526-200909-031 **DATE ISSUED:** 10/14/2020 07/05/2021 **EXPIRES:** 

**FACILITY NUMBER:** 429 HAND CARRY: Yes

**FACILITY ACCOUNT: RESEARCH CENTER: FACILITY NAME:** 

Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Inc. Greenhouse Lab #'s, Biosafety

Cab in Rm. 203,

**FACILITY ADDRESS:** Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Inc.

37437 State Highway 16, Woodland, California 95695

**FACILITY GPS:** Latitude 38.7

Longitude -121.8

Seminis Vegetable Seeds. **MAIL ADDRESS:** 37437 State Highway 16

Woodland, California 95695

Ms. Sharen Chaffin **FACILITY CONTACT:** PHONE: (530) 669-6233

**ALT. PHONE:** FAX: **EMAIL:** 

DESTINATION: Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Inc., 37437 State Highway 16, , Woodland, CA 95695

**RELEASE:** No

Under the conditions specified, this permit authorizes the following:							
Regulated Article	Life Stage(s)	Intended Use	Shipment Origins	Originally Collected	Culture Designation		
Aphis gossypii	Any	Research - Greenhouse (growth chamber and lab included)	Continental U.S.	Originally Collected from Within the Continental U.S.	J		
Bemisia tabaci	Any	Research - Growth Chamber (lab included)	Continental U.S.	Originally Collected from Within the Continental U.S.			
Frankliniella occidentalis	Any	Research - Greenhouse (growth chamber and lab included)	Continental U.S.	Originally Collected from Within the Continental U.S.			

#### PERMIT GUIDANCE

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Carlos Blanco	10/14/2020

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- 1) This permit does not authorize movement or release into the environment of genetically engineered organisms produced with the regulated organisms described in this permit. Importation, interstate movement, and environmental release of genetically engineered plant pests require a different permit issued under regulations at 7 CFR part 340. Any unauthorized interstate movement or environmental release, including accidental release, of a regulated GE organism would be a violation of those regulations. Additional guidance and contact information for APHIS Biotechnology Regulatory Services, can be found at: https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/biotechnology.
- 2) If an animal pathogen is identified in your shipment, to ensure appropriate safeguarding, please refer to http://www.aphis.usda.gov/import export/animals/animal import/animal imports an products.shtml
- 3) If a human pathogen is identified, please refer to the CDC Etiologic Agent Import Permit Program at http://www.cdc.gov/od/eaipp/
- 4) This permit DOES NOT fulfill the requirements of other federal or state regulatory authorities. Please contact the appropriate agencies, such as the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the APHIS Veterinary Services unit, the APHIS Biotechnology Regulatory Services, or your State's Department of Agriculture to ensure proper permitting.
- 5) If you are considering renewal of this permit, an application should be submitted at least 90 days prior to the expiration date of this permit to ensure continued coverage. Permits requiring containment facilities may take a longer period of time to process.

#### PERMIT CONDITIONS

USDA-APHIS authorizes Sharen Chaffin, Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Inc., 37437 State Highway 16, Woodland, CA, to move all life stages of the listed regulated pests from the continental United States for laboratory and greenhouse research in the USDA-APHIS approved facility 429 at the address above. All these conditions must be followed:

- 1. The listed regulated pests must be shipped / carried in escape proof containers held within a secure box.
- 2. This permit only covers the listed regulated pests. Work with plant diseases that these regulated pests may transmit originating from outside of the destination state requires a separate permit.
- 3. This permit is not valid for resale or redistribution of the listed regulated pests. Additional movement within the destination state may require additional approval from State regulatory officials and from USDA-APHIS Plant Protection and Quarantine.
  - Interstate distribution requires a separate PPQ 526 permit. For example, anyone requesting to receive these insects from the permittee must possess a valid PPQ 526 permit to receive them.
- 4. This permit authorizes the interstate movement from colonies that originated in the continental United States. Colonies that originated from foreign countries, from US territories, or Hawaii requires a separate permit.

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5. All persons working with the listed regulated pests must be informed of these permit conditions. Anyone working with these materials/organisms must agree to and sign/initial these conditions before beginning work. These signed conditions do not need to be submitted to USDA/APHIS but must be readily accessible and made available to Federal and State regulators upon request.

Note: these conditions may be copied and stored electronically for electronic signature and initialing provided that the permit number, authorized materials/organisms and life stages, release locations if applicable, and authorization statement all appear on the document with the permit number. Signing these conditions only indicates that the person working under this permit has read them; the permit holder is the sole responsible party under this permit.

- 6. The permit holder must:
  - maintain a valid PPQ526 permit so long as the regulated materials/organisms are alive or viable.
  - not assign or transfer this permit to other persons without APHIS PPQ authorization,
  - maintain an official permanent work assignment, residence, or affiliation at the address on this permit,
  - notify the Pest Permit Staff as soon as possible of any change in the permit holder's work assignment, residence, or affiliation,
  - notify the Pest Permit Staff of the receipt of unauthorized and/or misdirected shipments of regulated materials/organisms,
  - adequately mitigate environmental impacts resulting from unauthorized release of regulated materials/organisms and notify the Pest Permit staff immediately if one occurs,
  - notify the Pest Permit Staff if the facility is damaged/destroyed or if you wish to decommission the facility,
  - destroy all regulated materials/organisms prior to departure from the organization unless other arrangements are confirmed by the Pest Permit Staff.

Notifications to the Pest Permit Staff must be made via 866-524-5421 or pest.permits@aphis.usda.gov within one business day of the event triggering a notification.

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- 7. This permit is issued by the United States Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS). It conveys APHIS regulations and requirements for the material(s) listed on this permit. It does not reduce or eliminate your legal duty and responsibility to comply with all other applicable Federal and State regulatory requirements.
  - The permit number or a copy of the permit must accompany the shipment.
  - You must be an individual at least 18 years old, or legal entity such as partnership, corporation, association, or joint venture.
  - You are legally responsible for complying with all permit requirements and permit conditions.
  - If you violate any applicable laws associated with this permit, you may face substantial civil or criminal penalties. We may cancel all current permits and deny future permit applications.
  - Without prior notice and during reasonable hours, authorized Federal and State Regulators must be allowed to inspect the conditions associated with the regulated materials/organisms authorized under this permit.
- 8. Bemisia tabaci must be maintained at all times inside the USDA-APHIS approved facility 429.

## **END OF PERMIT CONDITIONS**

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